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WE HOPE YOUR CHRISTMAS DAY THIS YEAR
Will be Full of Joy and Christmas Cheer

May the sweet meats and other meats,
The meats you purchase here
The day complete
With joy replete
As it slowly fades away.



WOULD ELECT TOWNSHIP OFFICERS FOR TWO YEARS.

Why not put in the township officers for a term of two years instead of one thus cutting out the expense of the yearly election and giving the elected officers a chance to fulfill their duties by knowing how before having to put them out for a new one. All parties interested in this, report to the Avalanche giving their opinion, as there is much to be done that should be done. Other counties are doing this why not us?

The above paragraph was sent to this office for publication and offers a good suggestion, however we cannot see how it can be put into operation.

At this time at present, the State Statute provide for the township officers for township officers and if any counties in the State are electing their supervisor, clerk, treasurer for a longer period than one year, we believe that they are acting not in accordance with the State laws. Justices of the peace hold office four years. In order to bring about such a change as our correspondent suggests it will be necessary that the State legislature pass an act accordingly.—Ed.

GENTLEMEN!

Call in and see the new Fall and Winter line just arrived.
Perfect fitting clothes are above all money value. They make the man I make the clothes.
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Good Rich
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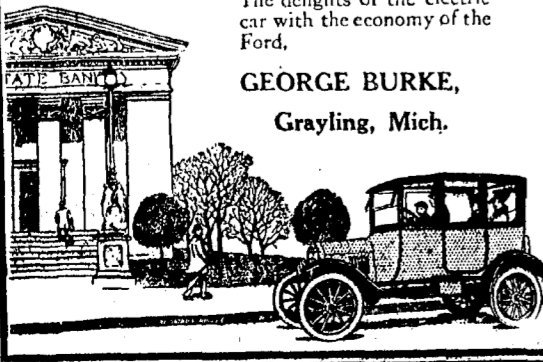
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GEORGE BURKE,
Grayling, Mich.



NOTES OF THE GRAYLING SCHOOL

Amicus Plato sed magis amica veritas.
Plato is my friend, but a greater friend is truth.
—Latin Proverb.

We had a mass meeting last Friday noon. The yells were just great. If you think girls can't yell, stand a block away from the High when we have our next mass meeting. You'll hear them.

Mr. Hathaway gave a talk to the High School Monday morning on that all important part of our anatomy, the eye.

Jack Cameron has taken the position of "Athletic News-boy."

Margaret Cassidy, a Senior, and Mildred Bates, a Junior, are both wearing orange and black sweaters. The Freshman colors.

Rex Estelle has been quarantined for some time on account of having the chicken pox. Yesterday in the Book-keeping class, he said, "Why didn't my creditors come last week? I would have had something to give them then!"

The line-up of the Girls' Basketball team is as follows:
Hilda Nielson—Forward.
Mildred Bates—Forward.
Ingeborg Hanson—Jumping Center.
Janet Matson—Side Center.
Jennie Karpus—Guard.
Vella Herman—Guard.
Oral Cameron—Sub.

If the beginning counts anything in the outcome of a season, the Grayling teams started out right. Both Boys' and Girls' teams went to Roscommon last Friday and defeated their opponents 20 to 14 and 20 to 11. The Boys played a remarkable game. If you tried to pick any stars it would be a hard task, because they all worked together. The shooting of free throws by Holliday was worthy of notice. Bebb was continually "feeding" them, as also was Smith, who is able to pass from any position. Karpus, captain, and Davidson also did their bit at guarding, for not one field goal was made by Roscommon during the first half. "Chuck" and "Mac" were standing on the side lines ready to go in any minute, but Subs were not needed with the brand of ball our boys were playing. The Girls played a fast preliminary and gained their first victory. It would also be hard to pick out stars in this game, because of their good teamwork. The work of the guards Karpus and Herman was worthy of notice as their opponents made but one field goal during the entire game.

The centers, Hanson and Matson were right there with the team work. The forwards, Nielson and Bates caged up, as the score shows. Both teams expect hard games when Roscommon plays here December 19 and should see everybody out. Some yells were a great help at Roscommon and will be of more help here.

A regular meeting of the "Grayling High School Debating Society" was called Wednesday, December 3, 1919.

The Declaration was given by Perle. The question for debate was "Resolved: That Congress should adopt a system of Universal Military Training for all able-bodied male citizens between the ages of 18 and 25."
Affirmative: Negative
Larsen Bebb Ingeborg Hanson
Margaret Cassidy Eleanor Schumann
Christine Saling Marius Insley
The Judge, Mr. Doty, gave his decision in favor of the affirmative side.

Every person in the Society has now been on a debate. Wednesday, December 10, 1919, each member will give a six minute constructive speech and a three minute rebuttal speech. This is the final "try-out" for the team, which will be chosen to represent the High School in the debate at Cheboygan.

G. H. S.

This is the place that can't be "beat."
First too much cold, then too much heat.
Jolly good times and plenty to eat.
My but I'm feeling great.
Don't forget December 19.

GRADE NOTES.

Sub-Primary—Miss Smith.
The children are preparing for a Christmas program.

First Grade—Miss Barr.
This week the children are going to dramatize, "In the Great Wall of China."

Mrs. Sparkes is teaching in the Second grade. Miss Austin is absent on account of illness.

FREE METHODIST CHURCH.

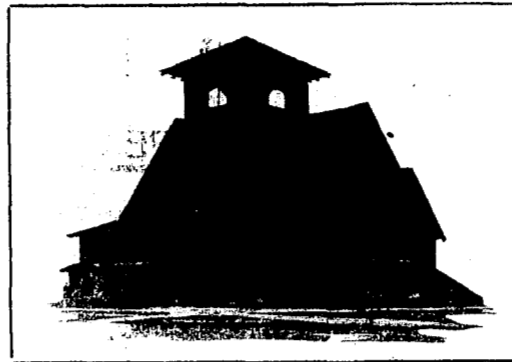
Sunday Dec. 7 was a grand day in the Free Methodist Church. The Sunday School was like a bee hive, it was a blessed sight to see so many children. The cry is now, "Oh Lord send us more consecrated workers." The Pastor preached to a very interested congregation and one bowed at the altar of mercy in the morning service and one in the night service and more are under deep conviction.

We are asking God for an old fashioned Holy Ghost revival.
Sunday School at 10:00 a. m.
Preaching at 11:00 and again in the evening at 7:00.
Prayer meeting Thursday evening.
Daniel Skasen, Pastor.

STAYED!
Strayed to the Hanson Military reservation some time ago a Sorrel pony. Owner may have same on the usual terms.
G. A. Schaeble.

12-4-12

The Michelson Memorial Church



Is Celebrating First Anniversary of Opening this Week.

THE BIG DOINGS.

Wednesday occurred the first event in the celebration of the first anniversary of the dedication of the new Michelson Memorial church. In the evening the anniversary banquet was held in the dining rooms of the church and a delightful dinner was served.

This was in charge of the Ladies' Aid society and as usual the affair was a complete success. The room had been decorated by building a canopy of white and yellow crepe paper over the entire room. The tables were attractive in their white linen and pretty silver and china. Large vases of white and green bouquets adorned each table.

Of course there were talks and entertainment, the principal speaker being Dr. F. E. Day of Ottumwa, Iowa. Rev. C. E. Doty, the pastor of the church, acted as toastmaster and under the heading of "exegesis" preceded the toasts with an explanation of the program of the week and of affairs of the Church.

A musical number—piano trio by Mrs. W. E. Smith, Mrs. Oscar Hanson and Miss Marguerite Bauman, was greatly enjoyed.

Short talks by long people was the next topic on the program and several of our local people responded with brief addresses. Those responding were Prof. Otterbein, M. A. Bates, R. Hanson, all of this city, and Frank Michelson of Detroit. The latter was present to represent his father, Nels Michelson, who built the church in memory of his wife and in token of his regard for the people of Grayling. Each of these talks was full of interest and many witty remarks were made, thus adding joy to the occasion.

Dr. Day's address on "Our Militant

Age," as may be expected, was a masterpiece. He told the why and wherefore of our militant condition and expounded many ideas that are sure to make his auditors do a great deal of pondering. Especially his views of socialism were a revelation. He denounced the idea in no uncertain terms and claimed that the Socialists were not entitled to be represented on the election ballots today as they were no political party and that the principles they stood for could not live under the constitution. They are, he said, advocates of the division of wealth, are atheists and believe in "free love." He illustrated his talk with many convincing and appropriate stories.

Thursday evening at seven-thirty Dr. Day speaks. This is one of those services with warmth and inspiration. Friday evening at the same hour Dr. Day speaks again. The evening is for sociability and uplift. Saturday evening, no one can do better than spend an hour at the church hearing Dr. Day on a great subject.

Sunday will be the birthday of the Church. Dr. F. E. Day of Ottumwa, Iowa, will be the speaker at all the services. His subjects alone speak wonderfully. "The Supremacy of Jesus," at the men's service in the afternoon, "Blessed Christianity," in the evening at seven, "The Scientific Hell."

Do not forget: A male quartet from West Branch sings at all services Sunday; that the afternoon services are for men and that each organization of men of the city is invited to come in a body; that a dinner will be served at eleven thirty Friday at the church a dollar's worth of eat and a great speech thrown in; that everybody is invited to everything.

COUNTY AGENT W. F. JOHNSTON ENGAGED AS AGENT OF WEXFORD COUNTY.

Service as Agent of Crawford and Roscommon Counties Expires January 1.

W. F. Johnston, who has been acting as county agent for Crawford and Roscommon counties since soon after the opening of the war, will not continue with these counties after January 1st, the close of the year. He has accepted a similar position with Wexford county and will have headquarters at Cadillac.

A large portion of the salary of the county agent through the county was borne by the federal government but this was largely reduced since the armistice has been signed and thus it was necessary that the counties pay more money or the County agents receive less money. It would have been necessary for Crawford county to raise its appropriation for this work from \$500 to \$1,500. However in view of the large budget of expense for this year the Board of Supervisors decided that it was asking the community too much to have them assume this increased expense.

Many have been greatly disappointed that the county is to be without a county agent this year as it is generally felt that Mr. Johnston had done wonderful work among the farmers and that a special effort should have been made to arrange to keep him.

One of the big things he did early after getting started in the work was to organize a farm bureau and this is now in active operation and is bound to be of much benefit to the farmers of Crawford county. Many features have been brought about through the efforts of the County agent, such as the standardization of potatoes, instruction in the improvement of live stock, poisoning of grasshoppers, which wherever faithfully tried more than proved its effectiveness so much so that the farmer no longer dreads this pest, but instead prepares to fight it. And these are but a few things that have been accomplished and is only a beginning of deeds actually accomplished.

We hope that some day this County may again join in the ranks of those having county agents and if that becomes the case we believe that no better man could be selected for these northern Michigan counties than Mr. Johnston. Wexford county are fortunate in securing Mr. Johnston and the only fear we have is that should we want him back that county, which is much more wealthy than Crawford county, will not give him up.

GARD OF THANKS.

We desire to express our sincere thanks to our friends and especially to Doctors Insley and Keyport for the many acts of kindness shown to us during the illness and at the time of the death of our beloved husband and father.

Mrs. Frank Jennings and Children.

AN OLD RESIDENT OF SOUTH BRANCH TOWNSHIP COM-MITS SUICIDE.

People of this vicinity were surprised last Friday to learn that John Bauer, 71 years old, living near the Royce school house, had taken his life by hanging himself in his wagon shed. He had been despondent for some time over his inability to work hard, and financial matters. He had been threatening to take his life for some time. On Thursday he got a rope and his wife asked him what he was going to do with it. He told her he was going to make an end of himself, and she took the rope away from him. Friday, he left the house, saying he was going to the barn to do the chores. Being absent for a long time, Mrs. Bauer called him and receiving no answer, went to look for him, finding him hanging from a rafter in the shed. He had climbed up on a step ladder and fastened the rope to the rafter, and around his neck and then kicked the ladder from under him. His neck was not broken; he died of strangulation.

On seeing him thus, Mrs. Bauer screamed and ran to the house for a knife with which she cut the rope and let him down. She then tried to revive him, but all efforts failing, she called James Williams, who was the first of the neighbors to reach the scene. Wellman Knight, Justice of the Peace, was then summoned and remained until Sheriff Richardson arrived.

John Bauer was born in Germany in May 1848. He has been a resident of Roscommon and vicinity for about forty years. By a former marriage, he has one son and two daughters, George and Mary Bauer and Mrs. Mert McClure, all of Roscommon. His former wife is still living at her home in Roscommon. His present wife, Mrs. Josephine Bauer, was living with him on his farm at the time of his death.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS HAD BIG NIGHT.

Last week Friday night was a big night for the Pythians in this city. Five young men—Carl Doroh, Clarence Johnson, Floyd McClain, Tracy Nelson and Roy Milnes received their third rank and are now full fledged knights.

After the work there was a fine banquet and a number of inspiring talks were given. The Knights last year adopted a child in France and is helping to bring it up. It occurred to one of the members that they had better send the little fellow a Christmas present so a collection was taken up and therefore a nice sum of money is now on its way to France.

Do You Enjoy Your Meals?

If you do not enjoy your meals your digestion is faulty. Eat moderately, especially of meats, masticate your food thoroughly. Let five hours elapse between meals and take on of Chamberlain's Tablets immediately after supper and you will soon find your meals to be a real pleasure.

LATEST ARRIVALS

New Blouses, in Voiles and sheer muslins, pretty styles, Georgette crepe in all the new shades.

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Ladies' silk hose, all colors and prices. Full line of fancy goods and notions.

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GRAYLING'S LEADING DRY GOODS STORE.

RED CROSS ELECTS OFFICERS

C. W. OLSON ELECTED COUNTY CHAIRMAN, CHAPTER ACTIVE IN HEALTH WORK.

The annual meeting and election of officers of Crawford county chapter American Red Cross was held Saturday afternoon at the Grayling Social Club rooms. There was but a small attendance but those present made up for this by their hearty enthusiasm and zeal.

Mrs. S. N. Insley, chairman of the Canteen and ex-chairman of the nursing committee, who had charge of this work throughout the war and up to this fall, made a most comprehensive report of the work these committees have done. It is a proud record these committees have made and no doubt the work they have done has been received with gratitude by the many they have served.

Another of the committees that has done splendid work is that of the Home Service committee of which Melvin A. Bates is the chairman. This committee is serving in the interest of the families of soldiers in service and for the returned soldiers in many capacities. The duties of this committee are many and requires a great deal of labor and time. Of course there is no pay in connection with this work; any compensation received comes in the satisfaction of helping the soldiers and their families.

The election of officers resulted as follows: C. W. Olson was elected county chairman to succeed O. P. Schumann; Mrs. L. J. Kraus was elected vice chairman to succeed Mrs. Thomas Cassidy; Miss Anna Nelson and M. Hanson were re-elected secretary and treasurer respectively.

The following were elected members of the executive committee: C. S. Barber, Frederic; Edwin Chalker, Maple Forest; Mrs. Emma Stillwagon, Lovells; Boyd J. Funsch, South Branch; Miss Lillian Mortenson, Beaver Creek; and from Grayling—M. Hanson, Mrs. S. N. Insley, M. A. Bates, C. W. Olson, Miss Marguerite Bauman, Miss Marguerite Hoyt, Frank Sales, Mrs. C. O. McCullough, Mrs. L. J. Kraus, Mrs. Thomas Cassidy, Dr. C. R. Keyport, O. P. Schumann, Mrs. Ernest Larson, Miss Anna Nelson.

The committees for the ensuing year no doubt will be appointed at the next meeting of the executive committee.

Dr. C. R. Keyport was present and stated the sure of a new feature that is now in operation for the benefit of the soldiers. This provides for the medical care in any cases in which sickness or ailment that may have been acquired from service in

the army or navy. Vocational training is provided in cases where necessary. Medical, surgical or hospital care are rendered at once by applying to your physician, and there is no delay or waiting to get orders from Washington or any other place. Dr. Keyport is at the head of that work for several counties in this region.

The work of the Red Cross is along health and re-construction lines and is sure to be a big power for the aid of humanity here and everywhere. Crawford county has nearly six hundred members and as usual will be one of the foremost in our state in service and efficiency.

GOOD FELLOWSHIP CLUB NOTES.

The Good Fellowship Club met Monday evening with Mrs. Marius Hanson.

Roll call—Contemporary writers of the First National period.
The usual business and word study followed. Mrs. S. Hanson gave a paper on the "Life of James Cooper." The review of "The Spy" given by Mrs. E. Larson was very interesting.

Please Notice.
The Good Fellowship club asks the co-operation of the citizens of Grayling.

This Christmas the Club hopes to reach all the needy families of this city and with your help will be able to do so. If you will all kindly hunt up anything in clothing, shoes, bedding, provisions, canned goods, jellies, books, toys or anything you have that you think, with a little effort on your part, would make some family that much happier this Christmas, we are sure you will spend a happier Christmas yourselves in knowing you have helped some one else. Every little bit helps, so please don't hesitate in giving anything you might have, and don't stop at that, but ask your neighbor, who perhaps has not seen this notice, if they have anything.

The Committee, Mrs. Marius Hanson, Mrs. Ernest Larson and Mrs. H. A. Bauman will call at the business places to ask their assistance, which we are sure will be freely given.

The basement of the Michelson Memorial church will be open the week before Christmas in the afternoon of December 15th until Saturday, December 20 to receive everything you so kindly bring us. If there is anyone who cannot manage to bring their donations to the church but have something for us, they can notify Mrs. Tromble, Mrs. Doty or Mrs. Gillett by phone and it will be called for.

We thank you in advance for your generosity and interest in this worthy cause.

Good Fellowship Club.

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STATE NEWS

Niles—Carroll Cross, 21, suffered a broken jaw when he was hit with a shot gun while trapping with George Reid, returned soldier.

Potoskey—The largest deer shipped out of the north woods through the Mackinaw City gateway this year was a buck, weighing 248 pounds.

Muskegon—James Knill, contractor of this city, was seriously injured here when he fell off from the top of a roof on which he was working.

Potoskey—Charles Whittaker, 73, hunting in the north woods took a 200-pound black bear, dressed and dragged him three miles to camp.

Adrian—Mrs. Clara Lipp, wife of a Blaisdell druggist, will be tried December 12 on a charge of stealing chickens from one of her neighbors.

Coldwater—Fremont J. Brown, claiming to be a doctor, arrested in Butler township on charge of carrying concealed weapons, waived examination.

Pottsville—A barn on the Charles Woodworth farm, west of Pottsville, was destroyed by the severe wind storm. Windmills were twisted out of shape.

Potoskey—Mrs. David Benyas, 59 years old, was killed when struck by an automobile driven by Clifford Willis, while she was crossing a street. Willis was arrested.

Muskegon—Harry Watson, a traveling salesman, believed to have been lost in the wreck of the steamer City of Muskegon, has wired this city announcing that he is not dead.

Pontiac—A woman jury sat in the court of Ralph T. Keeling, circuit court commissioner, and heard a civil suit over possession of a house. The jury decided the case in favor of the defendant.

Adrian—Tony Kubla, Detroit, pleaded guilty in the circuit court on the charge of violating the state prohibition law and was sentenced to pay a fine of \$50 and to spend five days in the county jail.

Saginaw—The will of the late C. H. Davis, provides \$22,500 for local charities divided \$10,000 to the Y. M. C. A.; \$10,000 to the Saginaw General hospital and \$2,500 to the home for the friendless.

Muskegon—That one of the two unidentified victims of the shipwrecked City of Muskegon is that of Oliver Zimmerman, Milwaukee, was believed when all identification marks thus far given tallied exactly, according to local officials.

Hillsdale—Dewayne Davis, 19, Somerset Center, is dead as the result of an accident at Cement City when his jacket caught on a revolving line shaft. He was whirled against a board, receiving internal injuries and a broken leg.

Big Rapids—Harold McNulty was accidentally shot by a companion. McNulty had his arm extended, aiming high, when the other hunter, shooting from behind bushes, towards the same bird, hit him under the left arm, the shot entered his side. He will recover.

Grand Rapids—James Terranova, murder suspect, being held at the county jail pending an investigation into the cause of the death of Andrew Giacomini, whose body was found in Grand river, broke his hunger, but officers have been unable to get him to comment on the case.

Muskegon—Discouraged over the fact that his mother and father had died while he was in the service of the United States army, and despondent because of ill health, Arthur Way, 21, Chicago, attempted to commit suicide in McGrath park. Way shot himself below the heart and may die.

Ann Arbor—Leo Lavey has filed a suit in the circuit court, against the Detroit, Jackson & Chicago Electric railway, asking \$10,000 damages for injuries he alleges he received July 30, 1918, when a car upon which he was traveling from Jackson to Chelsea, crashed into another interurban car near Chelsea.

Kalamazoo—Charles Mackay, proprietor of the Hastings Creamery company, had heard auto thieves were rife in Kalamazoo, so when he drove to this city he was careful to park his car in front of the jail, which, he believed, was the safest place. When he returned from a short shopping expedition, he found the machine had been stolen.

Saginaw—The east side school board has raised the minimum salary of teachers to \$85 a month and will give bonus of \$100 for all instructors continuing through the year receiving less than \$1,800. Conditions are becoming drastic. Twelve resignations have been received so far. It is said Detroit schools have asked \$2,500 for the first 60 teachers produced.

Hillsdale—Spring Arbor, just south of Jackson, may lose its Free Methodist preparatory school. Trustees of the school met in Chicago recently and the fate of the Spring Arbor seminary will be decided soon. There is a tentative plan to consolidate the seminary with the Free Methodist preparatory schools in Evansville, Wis., and Greenville, Ill., and locate the reorganized seminary either in southwest or northeastern Illinois. Spring Arbor is the "cradle" of education in Michigan.

St. Joseph—Efforts of the defense in the investigation of alleged misconduct in office of Sheriff Harry H. Hogue to get into the record evidence that he was the victim of political conspirators, failed when former Sheriff Fred Franks, of Niles, and former Prosecuting Attorney Chester P. O'Hara testified that the only interest they had in the case as the original complainants to the supervisors was that of any citizen who believed that wrong was being committed. The court held the complaint sufficient.

Lapeer—Fire of unknown origin destroyed the elevator of the Lapeer Grain company.

Pottsville—The annual meeting of the Eaton County Federation of Women's clubs will be held in Charlotte on Friday, January 28.

Nashville—John B. Marshall, 70, senior member of the firm of Marshall & Martens, was instantly killed when he was caught in the machinery of their elevator here.

Muskegon—The new \$1,000,000 addition to the plant of the Continental Motors corporation is nearing completion. It is expected that the new machinery will be installed by next spring.

Grand Rapids—The Western Michigan State Fair association will hold its annual meeting early in January when it will receive the financial report showing about \$15,000 profit on last fall's fair.

Grand Rapids—Motormen and conductors of the Grand Rapids Railway company will receive a wage increase of five cents an hour under the decision of two of the three members of the arbitration board.

Flint—D. B. Patterson, 58 years old, Flint auto worker, while attempting to board a city street car, fell in front of a Michigan Railway interurban and received injuries that resulted in death in an ambulance on way to a hospital.

Kalamazoo—Wilda Sager, 4 years old, burned after she fell against a stove, which ignited her clothing, died Monday night in Borgess hospital. Inhalation of the flames, searing the tongue, throat and lungs, was the direct cause of death.

Ludington—Hans C. Anderson, 61, employed by the Ludington water department for 30 years is dead. He was struck between the eyes by an icicle falling from pump house. Physicians issued a statement that they found death was caused by apoplexy.

West Branch—M. J. Cullen was arrested and arraigned in justice court on a charge of breaking the city water works ordinance. It was alleged that he tampered with his water meter so that it failed to register. He was found guilty by a jury and sentenced to pay \$75 and costs.

Three Rivers—The Arthur Potter arson case was given to the jury at Centerville after a trial which had lasted for several days. Potter, owner of the mill and elevator which burned down last spring, was charged with arson and conspiracy to defraud insurance companies.

Muskegon—The city council has adopted a resolution which will allow the Standard Oil company to build a \$100,000 dock into Muskegon lake and erect huge warehouses and pipe lines to every railroad in the city. Muskegon will be the distributing point for Michigan and Indiana, while the oil will be brought here in boats.

Owosso—Property loss estimated at \$20,000 was suffered and the entire village menaced when six stores in the business district of Byron, 20 miles east of here, were destroyed by fire. Byron has no fire protection and appealed to Owosso for help. Apparatus and men were sent, but the fire was under control before they arrived.

Bay City—Barney Brooks, 29, and Casper Stachowicz, 24, were arrested charged with operating a still. The police searched for the men on suspicion that they were implicated in the theft of automobile tires and found them in a houseboat. On the boat, the police say, was a complete moonshine outfit and two barrels of mash.

Grand Rapids—The American Railway express and the United States railroad administration have been sued for \$35,000 damages by Marie Bartlett, whose husband, George E. Bartlett, a railroad engineer, was killed May 10. He was struck by an express truck which was pushed across the pavement in the Union depot train sheds by an incoming passenger train.

Pontiac—Stockholders of the Olympian Motors company who were called for a meeting to ratify the proposed sale of the Olympian plant to Otis Friend, former vice president of the General Motors corporation, decided to postpone action until December 22, pending settlement of preliminary details. Company officials and representatives of the Friend interest declare satisfactory terms have been arranged.

Marshall—The mill and warehouse of A. H. Randall Milling company, owned by Earl Randall at Tekonsha, was destroyed by fire, of unknown origin, together with 6,500 bushels of wheat. The loss will reach \$125,000. There were 301 barrels of flour carried out before flames prevented rescuers from entering building, but 800 barrels were consumed. The mill was built 1849 and was equipped with modern machinery. Mr. Randall does not believe he will rebuild under the present commercial condition.

Ludington—Aiming for better wages and a higher standard for the profession more than 80 public school teachers here have organized a teachers club. H. H. Hawley, principal of the high school, heads a committee which is investigating the advisability of affiliating the club with the American Federation of Labor. It is claimed that there are no provision in the federation's constitution exempting school teachers from being compelled to strike to enforce their demands or to walk out in sympathy with other labor classes.

Pontiac—Pontiac is to have a million-dollar hotel, to be built by the Great Lakes Hotel syndicate, of Chicago, under an arrangement with the Pontiac Board of Commerce. The hotel will be on the Board of Commerce property, at Huron and Perry streets, eight stories high, with the ground floor devoted to business places. There will be 144 rooms, with the two top floors devoted to 82 family apartments. The roof will be equipped with a ballroom, restaurant and rest rooms. The building will be erected as soon as work can begin in the spring.

INDICTED MEN PLEAD NOT GUILTY

JUDGE SESSIONS LISTENS TO PLEA OF SENATOR AND FRIENDS.

SECOND CHARGE AGAINST MANY

District Attorney Claims Perjury Was Committed in Giving Evidence to Grand Jury.

Grand Rapids—With the arrival here of Truman H. Newberry and the expected arraignment of the senator and a score of others who are recognized as principal defendants in the alleged election frauds, the stage set for the first skirmishes in the legal battle upon which the eyes of the country probably will be focused for several weeks, if not several months. The case probably will be started early in January.

Senator Newberry is not expected to remain in Grand Rapids more than a few hours, having planned to return to Washington almost immediately after arraignment, in which he has announced he will plead not guilty.

The attorneys who represent the senators are: George E. Nichols, Ionia; Martin Littleton, New York, and James E. Martin, Detroit.

Among those who were arraigned along with Senator Newberry, are: John S. Newberry, Detroit, brother of the senator; Paul H. King, Detroit, manager of the Newberry campaign committee; Allan A. Templeton, Detroit, manufacturer; Benjamin F. Emery, assistant chairman of the Newberry campaign committee; Charles R. Floyd, Detroit, formerly of Grand Rapids, Newberry field agent; Hannibal A. Hopkins, St. Clair, publisher; Fred Cody, New York; Harry O. Turner, Detroit, assistant secretary of the committee; E. P. Smith, Detroit, manager of the Newberry estate; Milton Oakman, Detroit, former sheriff; Clarence Stibben, Detroit, secretary to Paul H. King; Mark T. McKee, Fred W. Castor, Detroit, councilman; William L. Calton, Detroit newspaper man; James Dailey, Muskegon; Benjamin F. Reed, Bay City; Richard Fletcher, Bay City; Roger Andrews, Menominee, publisher; James T. McGregor, Detroit, who with Andrews handled the upper peninsula Newberry campaign; William T. Hosmer, Romeo, member of the G. O. P. state central committee.

The announcement of the complete list of 135 men indicted shows that but 18 respondents will face the charges contained in the second indictment. The counts of this indictment charge perjury in the sworn statement of the senator and in his filing at the primary and general elections. It is generally accepted that the federal attorneys will make an especially vigorous fight to convict these 18 men, whose names follow: Senator Truman H. Newberry, Paul H. King, Allan A. Templeton, Thomas P. Phillips, B. Frank Emery, Charles A. Floyd, Hannibal A. Hopkins, Fred Cody, John S. Newberry, Milton Oakman, Harry O. Turner, Frank P. Smith, Elbert V. Chilson, William J. Mickel, Clarence L. Stibben, Mark T. McKee, James F. McGregor and Frank W. Blair.

MISSOURI MAN IS APPOINTED

President Wilson Names New Men to Posts of Importance.

Washington—Joshua Willis Alexander of Gallatin, Missouri, representative in congress, has been selected by President Wilson to be secretary of commerce, succeeding William C. Redfield. Other nominations included Melvin A. Hildreth, Fargo, N. D., United States attorney for North Dakota; Stephen W. McGrath, collector of internal revenue, first district of Ohio; Thomas J. O'Keefe, register of land office, Alliance, Neb.; John C. Morrow receiver public monies, Alliance; Daniel W. Craddock, receiver public monies, Seattle, and Woodbury W. Sparks, receiver public monies, Timber Lake, S. D.

Nelson B. Gaskill of Burlington, N. J., was nominated by President Wilson as a member of the federal trade commission to succeed J. Franklin Fort whose resignation because of ill health was announced. Seven general officers of the army were nominated to higher ranks. Joseph T. Dickman, James G. Harbord and Francis J. Kernan were nominated for the rank of major-general, which they held during the war emergency and Major-General Henry P. McCain, James H. McRae and William S. Graves, and Brigadier-General Frank T. Hines were nominated to the permanent rank of brigadiers.

Preacher Miner.
Topeka, Kan.—A Topeka minister went to the coal fields of Crawford county to dig coal. He is Rev. John A. McAfee, pastor of Westminster church. Rev. McAfee once worked a steam shovel. "I believe the first duty of every man is to serve people in the most efficient manner possible in time of stress, and I believe I can be of greater service digging coal right now than preaching," Mr. McAfee said.

Strike Goes On.
Youngstown, Ohio.—The national committee in charge of the steel strike meeting at Pittsburgh voted unanimously to continue the strike. The Carnegie Steel company for the first time since the steel strike began claimed operation at 100 per cent in all its plants of the Youngstown district. The sixth blast furnace was started and two more open hearth furnaces, making a total of 11, were fired.

AMATEUR MINERS KILLED

Clinton, Ind.—Six men were killed and three seriously injured in an explosion at Bogie coal mine No. 1 at Jacksonville, near here. All of the men were either mine officials or employees in the office of the company who, in attempting to get out of a badly prepared blast, set off a tent coal for the blast. The mine had been closed by the strike. The dead are John Stark, Terre Haute; Herbert Campbell and Joe Robertson, Clinton, office men; S. G. Stephens, Terre Haute, civil engineer; Charles Watson, assistant mine boss, and John Logsdon, Terre Haute, room boss. The mine was not badly damaged by the explosion, it was stated and little difficulty was encountered in removing the injured and the bodies of those killed.

DANIELS ON WORK OF NAVY

Secretary's Annual Report Relates at Length the Fine Record of Our Sea Forces.

Washington.—The annual report of Secretary of the Navy Daniels is a long and chatty relation of the efficient work of the sea forces of the United States during the great war and since the signing of the armistice. Much space is devoted to the record made by the navy in transporting troops to and from Europe, and full credit is given it for its excellent work in actual warfare and in cleaning up the great mine field which it had laid in the North sea. As for demobilization, Mr. Daniels believes this is being accomplished "without the sacrifice of national spirit, unity or force."

The story of naval aviation is long and interesting, but contains little that is not already a matter of common knowledge. Like Secretary of War Baker, Mr. Daniels is opposed to the creation of a separate air service. Here is what the report says of a matter that has aroused considerable public anxiety:

"The attraction of higher pay in the merchant marine has caused the navy to lose many men, many petty officers, and not a few warrant and commissioned officers. This has made it impossible to fully man all the ships. This loss has been greater than numbers indicate, because those who have left the navy were experienced and qualified, while the recruits now enlisting must be trained before they are fitted for the more important duties. The high wages paid to machinists, electricians and other skilled men in private industries has prevented the navy's securing new men in the ratings most needed. It is to be hoped congress will increase the compensation early so that many of these men will have a suitable inducement to re-enter the naval service."

FARMERS ROSE TO EMERGENCY

What They Did to Win the War and Save World From Starvation Told By Houston.

Washington.—In his annual report, Secretary of Agriculture Houston tells in a brief way how the farmers of America helped to win the war and are saving the world from starvation by marvellously increased production of foodstuffs. He says the wheat crop for 1919 is estimated at a million bushels over that of 1918 and that of corn 300,000,000 bushels over the last year's. In meat production, also, the record figure of last year will be exceeded, and the same is probably true of milk, eggs and poultry. Crop yields per acre, says Mr. Houston, show an upward tendency, due largely to better methods and better machinery.

Among other recommendations made by the secretary are: The building up of a system of personal credit unions; expansion of existing facilities and activities for aiding farmers in marketing; continuation of present policy of federal participation in road building; regulation and control of stock yards and packing houses; protection of consumers against misbranded and adulterated foods and fertilizers; increased support by states for rural schools, and legislation for improvement of sanitary conditions and medical facilities in rural districts.

Finger Saves Him.
Flint, Mich.—When Fred E. May, restaurant proprietor, was accosted by two men on the street after midnight, he pulled his hand from pocket and pointed finger and they fled. May had \$300 in pocket.

Another Booze Question.
New York.—"When is a drink not a drink?" another conundrum bred of prohibition, was sprung in Supreme Court. The answer is "when it is taken at meals for foods or alimentary purposes at home, hotels and restaurants." This contention was made by counsel for Howard Major, of this city, a stockholder in the American Malt & Grain Co., a \$13,000,000 concern, in a suit brought against former directors, combating their action in selling out at a loss.

Hospital Burns.
Big Rapids.—Three lives were lost, two persons are missing, at least three patients were injured and a property loss of between \$50,000 and \$100,000 was incurred when Marcy hospital burned. The dead are: Mrs. John Hanson, 78, Big Rapids; John Kollie, Stanwood, and Mable Eby, 16, Big Rapids. The missing are: Louis Kozlanski, 15, Nirvana, believed to have perished in his room in the hospital; Gabriel Kozlanski, father of the boy, who was in the room before the fire.

UNUSUAL HAPPENINGS AND OTHER BRIEF NEWS

Students Make Mens Pay Way.
Hartford.—Three students of the Connecticut Agricultural college depend on hens to pay their tuition. Sale of the eggs has left the young farmers a good profit.

New York Moved.
New York.—Public Service Commission estimates more than 2,000,000 passengers were carried on subway, elevated and surface lines in Greater New York in 1918. The daily average was 5,700,000 approximately equal to the city's population.

More Bodies Found.
Sault Ste. Marie.—Four more bodies believed to be those of members of the steamer Myron's crew have been found near Salt Point, according to a telephone message received by Sheriff Wallace Lundy, from James Burns, who is in the government service at Salt Point.

Long Lost Letter.
London.—A letter posted in London 15 years ago has just been delivered to the Portsmouth firm to which it was addressed. The letter contained an order for some merchandise. A clerk, selecting the merchandise for shipment, discovered that the order was 15 years old.

Lower Postage.
Washington.—Postmaster General Burleson has approved pending bills to reduce the rate of local first-class letter postage to 1 cent an ounce. A letter for delivery within the postal limits of the office in which it is mailed would take a one-cent stamp instead of a two-cent stamp.

Wanted Him to Hang.
Chicago.—Mrs. Leola Harris was deeply chagrined when she called at the county jail and learned that her husband, Henry, was not to be hanged, but that his sentence had been commuted to life imprisonment. "He was a worthless covey," said Mrs. Harris, "and I been keeping up the insurance on him for five years."

Dog's Grave Cause of Legal Row.
Concordia, Kas.—Six attorneys, a special referee and a circuit judge wrestled with the complaint brought against Dr. D. S. O'Brien of Beloit, who buried his dog, Jack, in Elmwood cemetery. The decision went against the doctor, who disinterred the body of his pet and buried it in his back yard.

Maids Get Autos.
St. Paul, Minn.—Shortage of maids and other servant girls in the exclusive residential sections of St. Paul has become so keen, that the wives of wealthy men have agreed to not only provide "improved living quarters" for the girls, but to allow them to use their automobiles "once or twice" a week.

Died When He Moved.
Elizabeth, N. J.—Milton G. Loudin, 102 years old, believed to have been the oldest man in New Jersey, died at Linden near here. He was a police magistrate from 1879 to 1912 and lived in the same house 50 years. His death was caused by a cold contracted when forced to move when his house was sold.

Sweet Vengeance.
Mariford.—As soon as Charles Sutton got out of jail at Paw Paw, where he had served a term for stealing older, he came to Hartford to find the man he believed had told on him. He found Abdel Denvish, in a poolroom, and without warning struck him on the jaw. Denvish was unconscious two hours and an X-ray examination showed his jaw had been broken. Sutton has not been captured.

Car No. 13 Unlucky.
Los Angeles.—D. Arthur Kennedy, of San Diego, Calif., was killed, Page Philbrook was injured probably fatally and two others were hurt slightly in two accidents at Asot Park in "tuning up" cars for a race. Kennedy was a passenger in car No. 13 when a tire burst and the machine turned over while traveling at great speed. Philbrook was riding in another car which smashed into the track fence.

Muet Arbitrator.
Washington.—Refusal of employers engaged in interstate business to engage in collective bargaining with their employees or to interfere with trade unions by refusing to employ or to discharge members of such unions because of such membership has made unlawful and punishable by a fine of \$5,000, or imprisonment for one year under a bill introduced in the house by Representative Kelley, of Pennsylvania.

Found the Ghost.
New York.—Occupants of a Ridge street tenement house were almost correct when they reported to the police that the groans of a "ghost" had been annoying them for two days. Detectives, aided by firemen, dug a hole in a chimney of the house and extracted David Cohen, a pushcart peddler, who informed them that, business being bad, he had decided to end his life by jumping down the fire-story chimney. He was taken to a hospital suffering chiefly with hunger.

Predicts End of World.
Ann Arbor.—According to Professor Albert Porta, this will be an unhappy world to live in, immediately following December 17. Hurricanes, lightning, colossal downpours of rain, fearful cold, gigantic lava eruptions, great earthquakes, floods and so on are to follow. He contends the greatest, overbalancing collection of powerful planetary bodies, grouped to one side of the sun over known, and possibly the end of the world.

COAL STRIKE END PREDICTED SOON

GOVERNMENT CLAIMS, OPERATORS AND MINERS ARE IN CONSPIRACY.

WAR RESTRICTIONS EFFECTIVE

Industry Gradually Being Paralyzed by Shortage of Coal All Over Country.

Washington.—With John L. Lewis and William Green, of the United Mine Workers of America, on their way to Indianapolis to lay before the miners President Wilson's definite and concrete proposition for the termination of the coal strike, official Washington, still silent on the details of the president's proposal, is generally optimistic that settlement of the controversy, which has brought the country to the verge of fuel famine, is now only a matter of hours.

In the same parlor car with Mr. Lewis and Mr. Green, but not in the same party are A. Mitchell Palmer, attorney general; C. R. Ames, his assistant, and several other officials of the department of justice, who will be present at the meeting of the union representatives when the president's plan is submitted.

The government officials and the mine union officers left Washington sure that the strike was as good as ended.

Indianapolis.—The Federal grand jury has been called to investigate charges that the coal operators are in league with the miners in a conspiracy to violate the Lever Act.

Federal Judge A. B. Anderson called the jury on information presented by L. E. Slack, United States district attorney, and his special assistant, Dan Simms. In the information the attorneys assert:

"We not only insist that the coal operators are in league with the miners to violate the Lever Act, but we further insist that the coal operators themselves have combined and conspired to violate the criminal provisions of the anti-trust acts passed by Congress, and that they have violated such provisions."

Slack and Simms based their information on an investigation which Deputy United States Marshals have been conducting during the last three months.

Miners' Chief Arrested.
Indianapolis.—Machinery of the Department of Justice was put in motion to bring about the early appearance in Federal court here of all the 84 international and district officials of the United Mine Workers of America against whom information charging criminal contempt of court was filed with Judge Anderson. The miners are charged with violating the injunction against furtherance of the coal strike.

With the appearance of John L. Lewis, acting president, and other union officials attached to international headquarters here, to furnish bond, fixed at \$10,000 by Judge Anderson, the first steps in the case against the defendants in Indiana were completed. Officials of the union living in court districts outside Indiana, it was said by attorneys for the Government, will be subjects of removal proceedings looking to their early appearance before Judge Anderson, as soon as the necessary papers can be mailed to the various districts.

The general charges are that since the injunction against encouragement of the strike or action to limit the production of coal, every official has violated the injunction passively, by consenting that the strike be continued and by maintaining an attitude toward the membership and by statements to "representatives of the Associated Press and newspapers that said membership will not go back to work, but will remain on strike."

Detroit Under Ban.
Detroit.—Orders received by P. G. Findlay, chairman of the Detroit coal sub-committee, from the office of Dr. H. A. Garfield, Federal Fuel Administrator, stated that distribution of coal to all but the first five classes of essential industries must be curtailed. "Chicago.—With the closing of thousands of less essential industries, throwing 200,000 men out of work, and the adoption of a 6 1/2 hour business day for stores and office buildings, Chicago felt practical effects of the coal famine.

Theaters are limited to five evening performances and one matinee a week and service of local transportation lines and suburban roads has been curtailed to the minimum requirements. More industries will be closed each day as their small supply of fuel is exhausted and thousands more of employees thrown out of work.

Locates Meteor.
Paw Paw.—By comparing observations of the mystery meteor which is reported to have exploded somewhere in southwestern Michigan, Professor Hobbs, of the University of Michigan, has calculated that the heavenly visitor fell somewhere between Lawrence and Hartford in Van Buren county. A country-wide search is being made for remnants of the meteor. Professor Hobbs arrived at his conclusion by comparing reports of the position of the meteor.

All Came Back.
Anniston, Ala.—How the mountain folk who make "moonshine," and are caught at it by revenue men kept faith with the court was shown when 12 of 18 federal prisoners began serving terms in the jail here. The thirteenth man sent word that he would be in as soon as he finished killing some hogs. All of them are farmers and Judge Grebb allowed them to go to their homes and gather their crops each giving him word that he would be present at the promised time.

FLU CAUSES SIX DEATHS IN CHICAGO

The weekly bulletin of the health department, issued yesterday, shows that six persons died in Chicago last week as result of influenza. Dr. W. A. Evans, health authority and writer of Chicago, last week predicted that the world would again be swept by an epidemic of influenza far more severe than last year, when thousands of lives were lost. One thing is sure, that is, the warm weather this fall has kept the epidemic down, but as colder weather approaches, influenza is liable to break out any time. Dr. Brady says: "No one has as yet discovered a positive method of diagnosing early cases of influenza from alleged 'colds.' The utmost care should be taken, therefore, not to catch cold, for colds weaken the resistance to influenza germs.

Doctors seem to agree that it is much easier to prevent influenza than to cure it. The secret of preventing influenza is to keep the germs from lodging and developing in the respiratory organs—the mouth, nose and throat. No one should be allowed to breathe in your face because the germs are often transmitted in this manner. Influenza can be prevented; last year's results prove that. As a preventive for flu, Turpo has been a pronounced success. Turpo is an effective germicide, combining the old-fashioned remedies of turpentine (which has always been known as the best home germicide), camphor and menthol in a pure mineral base. These ingredients have long been recognized as effective germicides, as well as having really wonderful qualities in relieving colds and congestions. Snuff a little Turpo up the nostrils several times a day, and the flu germs will have little chance of getting a lodging and breeding place. Many physicians and hospitals use and recommend Turpo.

Prepare now. Buy a thirty cent jar of Turpo, while your druggist has a supply on hand, and use as directed. Last year druggists could not supply the demand. Remember that Turpo is a preventive, not a cure for influenza. Take care of yourself.—Adv.

A lot of men camp on the bit while letting the evenor rub.

DOUBLE BEAUTY OF YOUR HAIR

"Danderine" creates mass of thick, gleamy waves



In a few moments you can transform your plain, dull, flat hair. You can have it abundant, soft, glossy and full of life. Just get at any drug or toilet counter a small bottle of "Danderine" for a few cents. Then moisten a soft cloth with the "Danderine" and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. Instantly, yes, immediately, you have doubled the beauty of your hair. It will be a mass, so soft, lustrous and so easy to do up. All dust, dirt and excessive oil is removed.

Let Danderine put more life, color, vigor, and brightness in your hair. This stimulating tonic will freshen your scalp, check dandruff and falling hair and help your hair to grow long, thick, strong and beautiful.—Adv.

Little boys who throw stones grow up and become critics.

WHY DRUGGISTS RECOMMEND SWAMP-ROOT

For many years druggists have watched with much interest the remarkable record maintained by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder medicine. It is a physician's prescription. Swamp-Root is a strengthening medicine. It helps the kidneys, liver and bladder to do the work nature intended they should do. Swamp-Root has stood the test of years. It is sold by all druggists on its merit and it should help you. No other kidney medicine has so many friends.

Be sure to get Swamp-Root and start treatment at once. However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Adv.

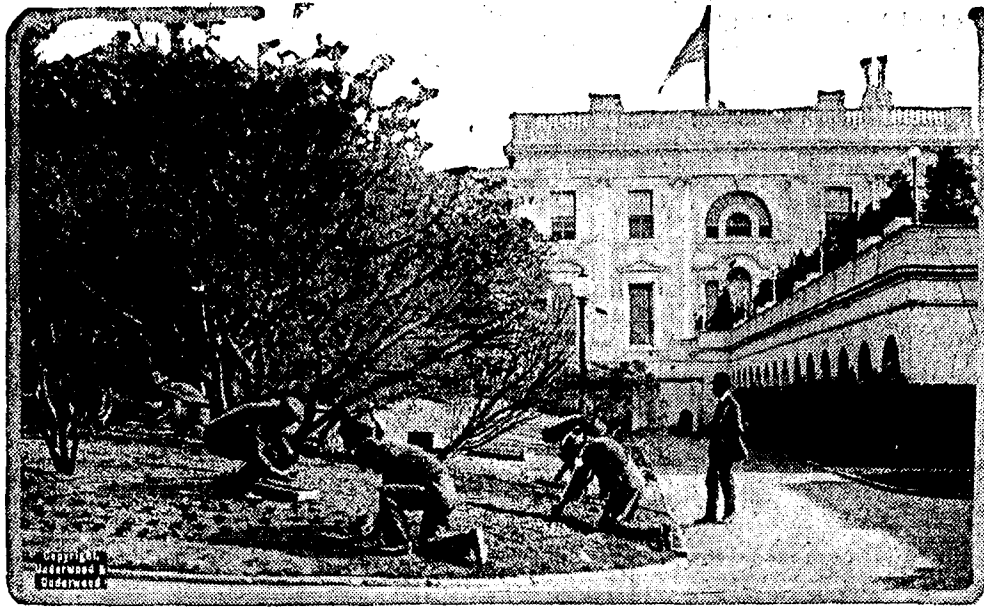
GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER

Constipation invites other troubles which come speedily unless quickly checked and overcome by Green's August Flower which is a gentle laxative, regulates digestion both in stomach and intestines, cleans and sweetens the stomach and alimentary canal, stimulates the liver to secrete the bile and impurities from the blood. It is a sovereign remedy used in many thousands of households all over the civilized world for more than half a century by those who have suffered with indigestion, nervous dyspepsia, sluggish liver, coming up of food, flatulence, constipation and other intestinal troubles. Sold by druggists and dealers everywhere. Try a bottle, take no substitute.—Adv.

A fence in time saves money.

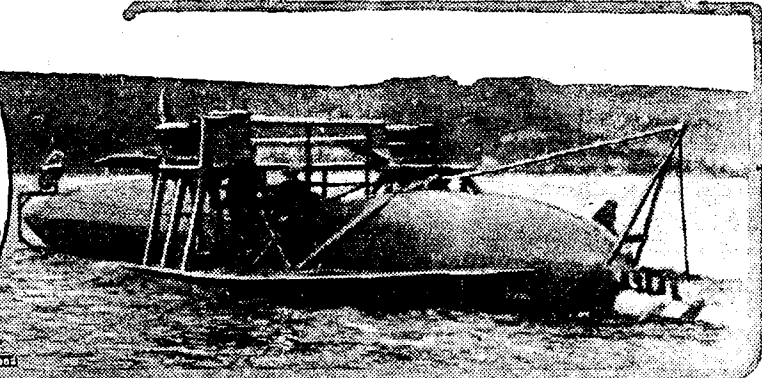
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PREPARING THE LAWN FOR PRESIDENT'S CONVALESCENCE



As President Wilson is still confined to the White House and its grounds, the gardeners have done their best to make the sunny lawns pleasant for him. They are here shown planting pansies and late bulbs.

DOCTOR BELL INVENTS A WONDERFUL FLYING BOAT



Dr. Alexander Graham Bell, inventor of the telephone, has invented a flying boat capable of making 71 miles an hour. The boat, which is known as the H. O. 4, is equipped with two 400-horse-power Liberty motors, and has a series of blades forward and aft, and on each side under the so-called wings. As the boat gains speed the action of the water raises it so that when traveling at 60 miles an hour it is practically clear of the water, traveling on the last set of blades. The illustration shows the boat on a trial spin, and Doctor Bell.

DOING NOBLE PEACE WORK



A photograph taken at the Throop Orthopedic hospital in Brooklyn, N. Y., showing a little crippled child being carried, just as one would carry a big doll, by a member of the motor corps of the National League for Women's Service. Their emergency war work at an end, and the war bands of the various units being discontinued, these splendid women are devoting their energies to welfare work which, though it is unheralded and without the attendant publicity that the war work received, is none the less commendable. The objects of their work are the children who are crippled as a result of the epidemic of infantile paralysis which struck the country three years ago.

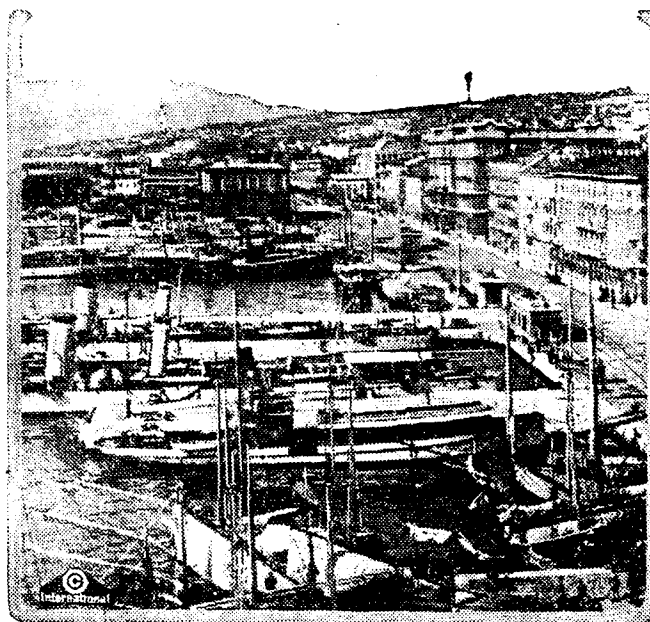
Unpleasant Dwelling Places.

Four regions on the earth are noted by Griffith Taylor, of the Australian bureau of meteorology, as having annual temperatures exceeding 82 degrees. These are Massovah, Red sea, 88 degrees, with an annual rainfall of 50 inches; Timbuktu, W. Sahara, 84 degrees, with less than 10 inches of rain; Wyndham, N. W. Australia, 84.6 degrees, with 27 inches average rainfall, and Timnevely, S. E. India, 84.3 degrees, with 50 inches of rainfall. The two African localities, despite the fierce heat, have their discomfort lessened by their dryness; while the Indian and Australian areas, with heavy summer rains, are very muddy during the wet season. For comparison, it may be mentioned that the mean annual temperature of Manila is 80 degrees; New York City, 52 degrees; London, 50.8 degrees; Archangel, 33 degrees.

Profited by Ghost's Visit.

Pierre Gaston, a tradesman of Montmartre, which is a part of old Paris, had for a neighbor an old miser, who died suddenly. Gaston had been kind to the old man. On the night after his death the ghost of the miser appeared to Gaston, and said: "I left you my money. Go and look under the third board from the wall in my bedroom, and you will find my will with a bag of coins." Gaston hurried off at once, and in the place mentioned discovered the will mentioned by the ghost and 750 francs in silver.

D'ANNUNZIO'S NAVY IN HARBOR OF FIUME



Italian warships now under the command and control of Capt. Gabriele d'Annunzio, "dictator" of Fiume. The ships' officers and crews joined with the Italian troops occupying the disputed city in placing themselves under the guidance of the poet-aviator.

NEW PEACE WORK FOR THE BABY TANK



A baby tank was used recently to break away the wreckage caused by a terrific explosion which destroyed a gas tank of the Acme Hydro-Oxygen company, a subsidiary of Armour & Co., in Chicago, and an adjoining lard refinery.

MUCH IN LITTLE

Pure glycerin will help to dissolve fruit stains from linen.

Dice were invented and extensively used at least 1,500 years before the Christian era.

In India military bands are forbidden to play "Home, Sweet Home," because of its pathos having so potent an effect on the English people who may hear it.

It is said that boiling a cotton clothes-line in water for a few minutes, and then drying it thoroughly before using will prevent it from stretching.

Potted plants water themselves when placed in a new dish to hold water, in the center of the cover of which is an opening holding a sponge, through which the water rises into the holes in the flower pots.

The muscular power of the flea is so great that it can leap a distance of 200 times its own length.

Properly made, a baseball bat will sustain nearly three times as much weight as a steel rod of the same weight.

What its New England inventor calls a motor treadmill utilizes the power of an automobile to operate farm machinery by friction of the car's driving wheels.

Recent government figures show that only one person in every 1,000 in Denmark is unable to read and write, compared with seven in each 1,000 in the United States.

An ice cream freezer of English invention in which ice and salt are packed in a cylinder that revolves inside the cream delivers its product in a continuous stream half a minute after a crank is turned.

CUE SKILL OF CHAMPION WILLIAM HOPPE DUE LARGELY TO INFLUENCE OF FATHER



Supreme Billiardist of His Time.

William Hoppe has again won a billiard championship over the best exponents of the game in the world.

There may be fellows who can play a more brilliant game than Hoppe in practice. There is no man, nor any set of men, who can beat him in a tournament.

What is true of every other game is true of billiards. There are times when there is nothing at stake, but it is the fellow who can always play brilliantly who gets money and makes the championships. Hoppe is one of those. He always plays in championship form.

Has Lived Right.

The reason he does that is that he has always lived in a way to guarantee constant topnotch play. He has sacrificed more, probably, than any other living billiardist, and it shows in the result.

There is no man on earth who, in the long run, can beat Hoppe at the billiard game, and he has earned the right to be the supreme billiardist of his time; he has worked for it.

Whatever success Champion Hoppe has attained at billiards—and by many he is conceded to be the greatest ball-line player of all time—is due largely to the influence of his father, now a billiard instructor.

John Henry Frank Hoppe was born in 1862 at Goshen, N. Y. His sons are Frank, the pocket billiard player, now living at Rockford; Willie, the ball-line champion, and Albert, who is in business in St. Louis.

Sons Start Game Young.

Frank Hoppe was 7½ and Willie 5½ when they first started playing. Hoppe

Sr. had a combination table and the first efforts of the boys was at pocket billiards. Hoppe toured the country with the youngster, Willie then being 8. Willie took up billiards and at 10 years of age could play 100 or no count.

It sometimes has been stated that Willie stood on a box to play some shots, but his father denies this. The boy climbed on the table when he had a long reach to make.

Willie Hoppe won the shortstop championship of the world at Paris in January, 1904, and then returned home and toured with the late Jake Schaefer, winning most of his games.

His next goal was the 18-1 championship and for six months he practiced under the eye of his father and then, going to France, electrified the billiard world by wrestling the title from Maurice Vignaux, the great French master, on Jan. 15, 1906. Hoppe won, 500 to 323, averaging 20.

In fourteen years of championship play Hoppe has been beaten only twice in challenge matches, once by Sutton and once by Schaefer.

Father Student of Game.

There is no greater student of the game than Mr. Hoppe the elder. For forty years he watched the leading players of the world and from this study evolved a system which is different from that of any other player. It is this system which has given Willie his supremacy as a ball-line player. It is based largely on the method in which the object ball is hit. "Time or timing," says Mr. Hoppe, "is the greatest item in billiards," and his ability in this line has been a big factor in the work of Willie Hoppe.

AGED SCOT IS HARDY



The photograph shows Alexander Mackintosh, who is sixty-nine years "young" demonstrating his vigor by putting a 16-lb. shot with all the energy and ease of a man one-third his age. The scene is at the gathering in the Princess Royal Park, at Braemar, Scotland.

Snow Captains Fencers.

At a meeting of the candidates for the Harvard fencing team, Royal H. Snow of Chicago was elected captain for the winter.

WALTER SALMON IS HONORED

Amateur Athletic Union Official Appointed Member of Olympic Athletic Committee.

Walter J. Salmon, the prominent Union official, has been notified by Frederick W. Rubin, president of the Metropolitan association, of his appointment a member of the American Olympic Athletic committee.

STONEHAM BUYS REAL HORSE

Owner of New York Giants Purchased Bally, Winner of Jerome Handicap, at Auction.

Having bought a race track within the past few weeks, Charles A. Stoneham, owner of the New York National League team, bought a real race horse the other day at Empire City. He purchased Bally, a five-year-old son of Ballot, at the auction sale of the horses in training from the stable of James Butler.

Stoneham races under the name of

TWIRLER LOSES A GAME BEFORE PITCHING BALL

It is seldom indeed that a pitcher goes into the box and loses a game before he has even pitched a ball, as was the case in the Milwaukee-Indianapolis game, which brought the American association championship season of 1919 to a close. Carver entered the box in the ninth inning with the score tied and by making a balk with a runner on third base allowed the opposing team to score the winning run.

TENNIS IS NOT MAJOR SPORT

Harvard Student Council Votes Against Awarding "H" to Players—Coach Favored.

Keen disappointment was felt at the recent action of the student council at Harvard when it voted that it was not in favor of making tennis a major sport and awarding members of the team the "H." It did favor the securing of a tennis coach for the "Varsity" team and the awarding of an "H" to Harvard men who win the singles or doubles event of the intercollegiate tennis tournament. At the present time, to gain an "H," a Harvard tennis man must win the singles title in the intercollegiate meet.

Rebel Oakes Is Wealthy.

Rebel Oakes, one time outfielder of the St. Louis Cardinals, is reported to have made a strike in oil and is said to be quite wealthy now.

The Cusco Stable.

But the horses that have run in his colors have been selling platters of very poor quality.

His purchase of Bally, who won the Jerome Handicap, and for which he paid \$4,800, would seem to indicate that the owner of the Giants is going to build up a formidable stable. As owner with John J. McGraw of Oriental Park in Havana, Cuba, Stoneham probably thinks that he should have a few real thoroughbreds representing him on the track.

Condole With Each Other.

Lee Magee and Tommy Griffith both make their winter homes in Cincinnati, and they condole with each other when they meet. Each was responsible for his being traded by the Reds last winter, and, as a result, each kicked himself out of that \$5,200 in world's series coin.

Roumanian Racketeer a Winner. M. N. Mshu, the young Roumanian tennis player, sprung a surprise in the English tennis world by winning the finals of the men's singles at Hurlingham against S. N. Doust.

FRANK CHANCE ONCE DARED JIM CORBETT

Accused Champion of "Framing" With Kid McCoy.

Former Baseball Star Started Out With Intention of Giving Pugilist a Thrashing—Bartender Interfered at the Right Time.

The best fighters are not in the ring. Many athletes in lines far removed from the wake of the real, could battle with more effect than some of the boys who earn their money meeting the lads in their class in the glove game.

Of all athletes in recent years who might be depended upon to give a good account of themselves in any sort of engagement, Frank Chance, famed as the manager of the Chicago Cubs a few years ago, was a real champion. He was always in first-class condition and was as game as a mountain trout.

Chance was going to whip former Champion Corbett in the latter's place of business in New York on one occasion, and only the rare presence of mind on the part of a bartender prevented what might have been a nasty encounter. Chance, with some friends, had witnessed the Corbett-McCoy fight in Madison Square garden in August, 1900. That was the bout in which both fighters were accused of having



Frank Chance.

"framed." Chance paid \$25 for a box seat at the show, and when it was over the Cub star was in a white rage.

He told his friends he was going to Corbett's wife at Twenty-third and Broadway the next day to tell the former champion what he thought of his integrity, and, if necessary, he would take a smash at the boxer. He called on Corbett as he promised. Corbett met Frank with a smile on his face. Chance unloaded his criticism and decorated it with a few compliments for Corbett that swept the latter off his feet. Chance dared Corbett to raise his hands, but before Corbett could do so the bartender told Corbett he was wanted on the phone.

Some friends hustled Chance out of the place. Corbett was taken in tow in another room and the trouble blew over. The matter was fixed up a few years later, and now Corbett and Chance are good friends, although Chance has never backed down from his stand that the fight was a rank fake. There are not many men outside of the fight game who would have courted trouble with Corbett at that time.

LITTLE PICKUPS OF SPORT

Harvard baseball and lacrosse teams will make southern trips in 1920.

Coach Spaeth of Princeton has fifteen eight-oared crews practicing on Lake Carnegie.

Legalized boxing netted New Jersey \$50,629.09 for the fiscal year ending September 30 last.

The Riverside (N. J.) Yacht club wants next year's men's and women's long-distance amateur events.

Polo and golf have been added to the sports which are being conducted for the men of the American army in Germany.

Christy Mathewson takes occasion to deny the rumor that he is slated to be active manager of the Giants next season.

Ambrose Putnam, veteran pitcher and star of other days, is now in the oil business and said to be making a lot of money.

Levies Kohl, Three-League catcher, is laid up with a broken leg. The injury was suffered in a football game played at Peoria, Ill.

From Detroit comes a flat denial of the story that Hugh Jennings plans to resign as leader of the Tigers and devote all his future time to law.

Word from Umpire Bill Dineen's home in Syracuse is that he will retire from baseball to go into business in New York as a stock and bond broker.

Frank O'Neill, American jockey, is the leading French turf winner with fifty-eight mounts. W. K. Vanderbilt tops the winning owners with 412,000 francs.

DAIRY



PUREBRED BULLS VS. SCRUBS

Early Rewards Clearly Indicated to Stock Raiser From Using Purebred Sires.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

A few calculations in fractions indicate clearly the early rewards to the stock raiser from breeding with purebred sires instead of grade sires. The bureau of animal industry, which is sponsoring the nation-wide "better sires, better stock" campaign, calls attention to a series of diagrams issued in Wisconsin which show the progress of breeding native cows for five generations with purebred bulls, compared with five generations of breeding with grade three-fourths full-blood bulls.

After five or, in fact, any number of generations of such breeding, the calves are still less than three-quarters full blood, while if only purebred bulls are used, three-quarter bloods are produced in the second generation, and the calves of the fifth generation are thirty-one thirty-seconds full blood. The characteristics of the blood rapidly become fixed in a stock in which only purebred sires are used, while after any number of generations of breeding to three-quarter-blood sires the characteristics of scrub stock still frequently appear. A three-quarter-blood bull is much more likely to transmit unfortunate characteristics which are not visible in himself than



Booth at National Dairy Show at Chicago Devoted to the "Better Sires, Better Stock" Campaign.

a pure-blood bull. A single bull of this sort may undo the work of years of selection in building up a herd. The conclusion is that in grading up live stock, only purebred sires of good quality should be used.

GOSPEL OF BETTER FENCES

Novel "Drive" Inaugurated for Improvement of Farms, Both in Value and Appearance.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

With a view to effecting a practical improvement in the value and the appearance of the farms, a five-day "buy-a-fence" campaign was recently conducted throughout the rural districts of Mississippi. This novel "drive" was joined in by local representatives of the United States department of agriculture and the state agricultural college, and other organizations and agencies. Elaborate plans for promoting the campaign were worked out in advance, including the organization in each county of committees whose duty it was to spread the gospel of better fences. The big saving to forage crops resulting from better fences was pointed out, likewise the labor saved in caring for live stock to prevent overfeeding. An appeal was also made for fields and homesteads that appear well cared for.

Good as were the immediate results of the campaign, it is believed that the permanent benefits will be equally large, in that it concentrated attention on the fence question and is expected to promote greater interest in this important feature of farm improvements.

FAVOR CALVES BORN IN FALL

In Spring They Are Sufficiently Grown to Take Care of Themselves—Make Good Growth.

Calves born in the fall can be grazed and properly cared for and when grass is ready to be pastured in the spring they are sufficiently grown to take care of themselves. They thus have an opportunity to make a good growth in the year, which is very essential in rearing a high-producing dairy cow.

DAIRY BULLS VERY NERVOUS

Unlike Sluggish Beef Breeds They Are Active, Alert and Cannot Be Depended Upon.

Bulls belonging to the dairy breeds are usually more nervous than the beef breeds. The latter are more sluggish. The dairy bull is active, alert and cannot be depended upon.

Test for Tuberculosis.

The youngest age at which veterinarians recommend testing calves for tuberculosis is six months.

Use Home-Grown Feeds.

The Ohio experiment station urges the use of home-grown feeds in maintaining dairy cattle.

Comfortable Cow Barns.

Comfortable cow barns keep dairy cows warm far more cheaply than high-priced feed.

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**Automatic
Repeating
Phonograph**

The Wonder Instrument

It will play and repeat automatically any make of record any desired number of times, then stop automatically with the tone arm suspended in the air.

This feature is found on absolutely no other make of phonograph. More than two years of use have established its perfection and proven it thoroughly practical. The first really complete phonograph.

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U. P. Schumann, Editor and Proprietor.

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GRAYLING, THURSDAY, DEC. 4.

**Christmas Means Love**

We cannot picture it without seeing the spangled Christmas tree girt with the faces of gleeful youngsters, glad parents, and happy bodies returned home from town or far metropolis. It sounds like bells and crackling logs and shouts of children. And even our old, round-shouldered, sorrow-ridden planet, with his eye knocked out on his cheek, pauses to smile from sea to sea, and love is everywhere rejuvenated.

JAMES WHITCOMB RILEY

Tasted Suspicious

"My dear, did you make this Christmas pudding out of the cook book?"
"Yes, love."
"I thought I tasted one of the corners."

WANTS

Advertisements will be accepted under this heading at the rate of 5 cents per line. No adv. taken for less than 25 cents. There are about 100 words to the line. SEND MONEY WITH THE ORDER.

WANTED—Girl for dining room work. Must be experienced and efficient. Shoppemag's Inn.

HOUSE FOR RENT—Six room house newly papered and painted. Kindly inquire at the Avalanche office. 12-11-1

WANTED—Girl for general housework in Detroit. Good wages for right girl. State experience and references. Write at once to Mrs. A. E. Michelson, 247 Boston Boulevard, West, Detroit, Mich.

LOST CAT—Gray and white, part Angora. Reward offered for its return. Helen Schumann. 11

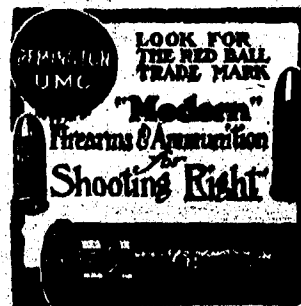
I HAVE in my enclosure one old ewe, one yearling ewe, and one lamb, all marked with a red cross on top of shoulders. Owner may have same by paying costs. Conrad Wehnes, Eldorado, Mich.

LOST OR STRAYED—Number of sheep and lambs, from ranch near Johannesburg. Marked on rump with red M, some are marked J M. Miscellaneous ear marks on sheep. Reward offered for their return, or information as to their whereabouts. H. Dudd, Johannesburg, Mich. 11-27-3

FOR SALE—60 acres of land in Beaver Creek township, 20 acres are hardwood and hemlock timber, 12 acres cleared and balance is pasture land. Inquire of Chris Jensen, Grayling, P. O. box No. 8. 11

FOR SALE—Do you know a buy when you see one? Look at this one—11 room house, North Side property one block from Main street. Price is right, \$500 down, balance in monthly payments. For further information call at my place of business. J. W. Sorenson.

WANTED Jack pine bolts. Write us for specifications and prices. Grayling Box Company. 11

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At Prices Unsurpassed or Ever Heard of at My

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The Materials in Them Are Out of the Ordinary and So Are the Prices.

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They Have That Different Air
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Advertising Space in this
Paper is a Good
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Saturday Specials

24½ Pound Sack Gold Medal Flour.....\$1.80
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Granulated Sugar, per pound.....15c

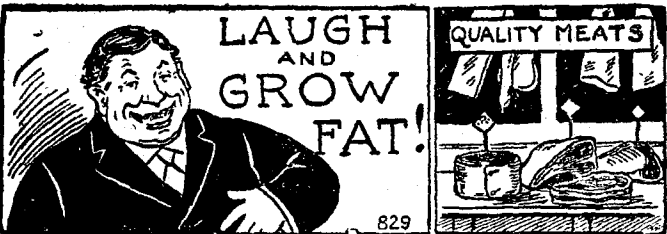
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2 POUNDS OF BROWN SUGAR IF WANTED

—WAREHOUSE—

Hay, per 100 pounds.....\$1.85
Oats, per bushel.....96c
Cracked Corn, per 100 pounds.....\$4.25
Whole Corn, per bushel..... 2.10
Middlings, per 100 pounds..... 3.40
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**SALLING HANSON
COMPANY**



**LAUGH
AND
GROW
FAT!**



QUALITY MEATS

Calf's Liver Braised.
Lard the rounded side of the liver; fry one onion in salt pork fat; put the liver and onion in a casserole; to the fat in the pan add three tablespoonfuls of flour, brown, and add stock of water to make gravy, add one teaspoonful of salt, one salt spoon of pepper; pour over the liver; cover and simmer in the oven for two hours.

THAT'S ONE WAY!

Another Way

And a Surer Way

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OUR QUALITY MEATS
EACH DAY

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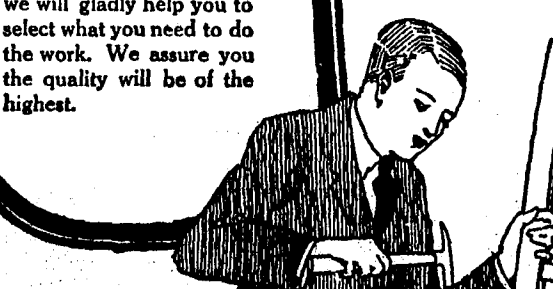
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THERE'S always something around the house or barn or elsewhere that needs fixing. Some of these jobs are put off repeatedly because of lack of proper tools.

If you will tell us what needs to be done, we will gladly help you to select what you need to do the work. We assure you the quality will be of the highest.

Carpenters' Tools
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Hardware Department

The Store
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Christmas Spirit

Men and Boys

Will appreciate these—
Hats and Caps
House Slippers
Comfy Slippers
Fine Shirts
\$1.00 to \$7.50
Arm Bands and
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In fancy boxes.
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in Xmas boxes.
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Suits
Mackinaws and
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The Famous COLLEGIAN BRAND Men's suits.
—In waist line and belted models for young men. Also
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Belted waist line and conservative models.
Will accept Liberty Bonds same as cash in trade.



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Landsberg's Standard
of Quality the
Highest Known

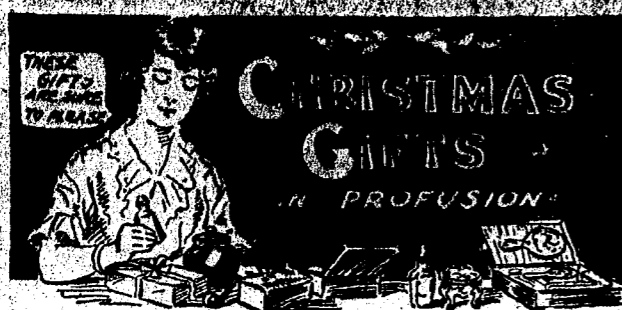
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Jerseys
Neckwear

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Queen Quality Shoes
Gray, Brown and
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Holproof and Ever-
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In all Colors
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Slippers
In all colors and
sizes
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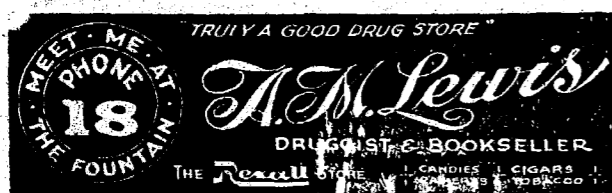
We Have A Full Line

Of Useful and Sensible Holiday Gifts Ready for Inspection—

Perfumes, Fancy Toilet Articles, Manicure Sets, Toilet Cases, Smokers' Sundries, and other articles too numerous to mention.

Look Over Our Suggestions—

Get the True Xmas Spirit that prevails here and you will solve many a Gift Problem at this store.



LOCAL NEWS

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, DEC. 11

See additional locals on supplement page.

Follow the crowds to Sorenson Bros. Xmas store.

Mrs. George Alexander entertained the Bridge club Saturday afternoon. Everyone reported a fine time. Mrs. Oscar Schumann was high lady.

Mrs. Robert Reagan was hostess to the Bridge Club Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Marius Hanson held the highest score. The hostess served delicious refreshments.

Frank Michelson, O. S. Hawes, and I. C. Burden, all of Detroit, E. J. Cornwall of Saginaw, and Wilhelm of Johannesburg, are in attendance at the monthly stockholders meetings of the local lumber companies.

Mrs. C. R. Keyport was in Detroit a few days last week.

Mrs. Will Havens, who has been seriously ill for several weeks, is improving.

Our store is now open in the evening for Christmas shoppers.

Sorenson Bros.

The following four new members have been added to the Red Cross roll of honor since last week: Mrs. Charles McCullough, Marius Hanson, Miss Helen Parr and Miss Button.

The Ladies' Altar society of St. Mary's church will give a pot luck supper, Thursday, December 18th, at the K. of C. hall. All ladies of the Parish and their husbands are invited to attend.

The Second All City Basket ball team have a game slated with the City team of West Branch at that place for tomorrow night. The local team consists of all good players and they expect to come home victorious.

Owing to the coal situation the Michigan Central has made the following change in the time schedule of passenger trains: No. 157 arrives at 1:12 p. m. and leaves at 1:35; Train No. 201 arrives at 3:32 p. m. and leaves at 3:37 p. m.; Train No. 202 arrives at 1:25 and leaves at 1:30 a. m.

Arrangements have been made for a big rabbit supper at the next meeting of the American Legion to be held Monday, December 15. All members are requested to be present. At Danish gymnasium. Come out and surprise yourselves.

Tony Nelson, Sec'y.

The local Red Cross chapter made another shipment today, consisting of 79 pairs of children's stockings and 2 women's shawls. This shipment completes the quota for stockings, but there are still a few children's sweaters left to be knit, and Miss Nelson, asks that if there is anyone who would like to help out by knitting one of these, they will kindly notify her.

We wouldn't care to return to the old oaken bucket

There's a sentimental value attached to the old moss-covered utensil but most of us prefer the cheaper and more convenient community method of reservoirs, pipes and faucets.

There's also a sentimental value attached to carrying home the groceries in a basket

But when hundreds of housewives patronize a store it becomes more economical and more convenient for the store to maintain a community service in the shape of a delivery wagon.

Time and energy are saved—things which are mighty valuable in these days to busy housekeepers.

So that you get this and countless other services in our store.

One of these additional services is our knowledge of groceries. We know which brands are good and we tell you.

One of these good things is RYZON Baking Powder. If you don't use an efficient baking powder you might blame the other ingredients we sell you for unsuccessful results.

When we recommend RYZON to you we know just what your's going to say. "It's the best baking powder I ever used." We tested RYZON because we knew it was creating a big stir all over the country. We soon saw why they called it "the Perfect Baking Powder." It is thoroughly dependable, and economical at 40c per pound.

H. PETERSEN,
YOUR GROCER
PHONE 25

WHAT to PUT in the STOCKING

This is really the Gift Store. Never have we displayed the useful and unlimited Assortment of Gifts as we are showing this year. Nevertheless, we advise you to shop early. Many items will be sold out and cannot be duplicated later.

Ladies Blouses in Georgette and Crepes and Tub Silks.

\$3.50 to \$12.00
Voile Blouses
\$1.50 and \$2.50



RIBBONS

A Wonderful Showing, and they make an Ideal Gift for Hair Bows, Bags and Fancy Work.

A Beautiful Line of Bath Robes in Children's, Ladies' and Men's.

Bath Robe Blankets in various colors and designs

\$6.00 and up

Pretty Tea Aprons—Every woman wants them.

50c to \$1.50

HANDKERCHIEFS



The Greatest assortment of Holiday Handkerchiefs we have ever displayed.

Ladies' H'dkfs—3 and 6 in a box **75c to \$1.25**

Silk H'dkfs **25c, 35c, 50c**

Fancy H'dkfs **10c to 50c**

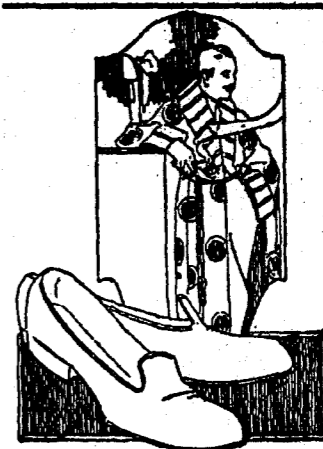
Children's H'dkfs **15 and 25c Box**

Men's H'dkfs in plain or fancy **10c to 50c**

MEN—We are now showing a great selection of Suits and Overcoats.

Waistline and Belted Models in the celebrated Styleplus and Kuppenheimer makes

A Suit Case makes an Ideal Gift. We have a big selection to choose from **\$2 up to \$10**



Felt Slippers for every member of the family.

We have them for Ladies, Men, Girls and Little tots

Men never get too many Ties and we are now showing Holiday selections **50c to \$1.50**

A final Clean-up Sale of Ladies' Coats. Any Garment left will be closed out at **25 per cent off**

Ladies' Trimmed Hats
1/2 Off

Women's Silk Underwear, Teddies, Camisoles and Bloomers. We are showing excellent values.

Bath Towels never come amiss. Fancy Bordered Turkish Towels **50c to \$1.25**

OTHER USEFUL GIFTS

Blankets, Gloves, Mackinaws, Purses, Hosiery, Sweaters, Mitts, Knit Caps, Bags, Shirts, Bed Spreads, Shoes, Gowns. Underwear, Trunk. Infants Sweaters, Bootees, Dresses, Bands and Sacques.

Make this your Shopping Headquarters—And our savings will make you a Better Xmas

Grayling Mercantile Co.

Phone 1251

The Quality Store



Good Sight is Priceless

Dollars and cents don't count. Why then abuse or neglect nature's greatest gift? Wear glasses if you require them and—Come to us for the glasses necessary

C. J. HATHAWAY,
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George Bissonette has returned home after an absence of a few months.

The Avalanche is glad to report that Mrs. A. M. Lewis is gradually improving and appears to be out of danger.

Olaf Sorenson & Sons announce the arrival of their January Columbia records. Come in and hear them, they are fresh from the producers.

Our large display of Holiday goods offers many bargains. You will be surprised to find so many items at little money; while small they are neat and very much suitable for Xmas presents. You are cordially invited to visit our store.

Sorenson Bros.

Mrs. E. H. Campbell and Miss Dorothy Campbell returned to their home in Newberry Monday. Mrs. A. H. Sherman is still here. These ladies are sisters of Mrs. A. M. Lewis and were called here by the illness of the latter. Mark Lewis accompanied the ladies to Newberry where he will remain for the present.

The American Legion recently threw out the challenge to any and all teams or prospective teams in the city to meet them in conflict in an indoor base ball game. Thus far no one has taken them up. Hurry up, if you want a game, the soldiers are getting anxious. See Art McIntyre.

Hubert Collier, aged father of Mrs. Laura Tetu and Mrs. David Montour, passed away at the home of the former last evening at 8:00 o'clock. The old gentleman's home was in Pinconning, but he has been making his home in Grayling for almost the last year. He was 78 years old and had been ailing for some time. Archie Collier, a son of the deceased arrived yesterday afternoon from Pinconning, and accompanied the remains to that place this afternoon for burial. Miss Arvey Tetu and David Montour left also this afternoon to attend the funeral which will be held from the Catholic church in Pinconning tomorrow morning.

Harness.

If you want a good driving harness cheap, go to C. O. McCullough's shop, and take it home.

A Gillette razor would be just the thing for him. Hathaway has them somewhere.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Custer of New York City were in Grayling last week, Mrs. Custer being called here by the illness of her sister Mrs. A. M. Lewis. They returned home Monday.

Sisters, nurses and patients at Mercy hospital were treated to a musical concert Tuesday evening when Clark's orchestra went to the hospital and rendered several selections. It was very much appreciated by the hearers.

Wednesday occurred a double wedding at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Feldhauser, living in the eastern part of Grayling township. The happy young people are Mr. Rudolph C. Feldhauser and Miss Hazel F. Hanna and Mr. Robert J. Feldhauser and Miss Marie C. Peterson. The grooms are sons of Mr. and Mrs. H. Feldhauser and the young ladies are both of Grayling, Miss Hanna's daughter of Ralph Hanna. Miss Peterson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hemming Peterson who reside near Fredrick. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. E. Doty of this city.

CHILDREN BREAKING STREET LIGHTS.

Complaint has been made about street lights not being lighted in some sections of the village and on investigation it has been found that the lamps are being broken by children throwing stones and shooting sling shots at them. If the parents would give these children their attention no doubt the trouble would be reduced to a minimum. If the depre-

dations are continued the guilty parties will be reprimanded in a fitting manner.

Village Council.

Notice to Taxpayers of Beaver Creek Township: I will be at my residence, Sec. 30, Town 25, Beaver Creek Township, on Friday of each week for the purpose of receiving taxes.

A. Ellis, Treas.
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THE SIMPSON CO.

GROCERS.

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OUR ECONOMY LIST FOR SATURDAY

Queen Anne Soap
10 Bars for 59c

Grapefruit, 3 for 20c
Sweet Potatoes, 5 lbs. 21c
Cream of Barley, per pkg. 23c
Corn Puffs, 2 pkgs. for 25c
Burt Olney's Tomatoes, 2 cans 47c
Pompeian Olive Oil, 1/2 pint size 38c
Crisco, one pound can, 37c
Dried Peaches, 2 lbs. for 49c

Banquet Tomatoes, 3 for 49c
Chop Suey (Chinese Style), 2 for 35c
Hebe Milk, 5 cans, 87c
Sauer Kraut and Vienna Sausage, 2 for 35c
Richellen Soups, all kinds, 6 cans for 75c
Krispy Crackers, 2 lbs for 45c
Plymouth Rock Wax Beans 2 cans for 35c

THE Richelieu STORE



WHY NOT GIVE FURNITURE TO YOUR FRIENDS AND RELATIVES FOR CHRISTMAS PRESENTS?

A Gift of a solid substantial piece of furniture, always ornamental as well as useful and convenient, would last a life time, and serve to make the donor solid in the friendship and recollections of the recipient.

There is a wide range of articles for selection—those that are absolutely necessary for housekeeping, and then a host of dainty, convenient and ornamental articles—writing desks, pedestals, tea-carts, dressing tables, leather chairs, cedar chests, rockers, etc., etc.

Do at least part of your Christmas shopping at our store.

SORENSEN BROTHERS
GRAYLING, MICHIGAN
FURNITURE & UNDERTAKING

There's no time to lose if you want a Phonograph this Christmas

Select your Pathe or Meteor Instrument now that you may be assured of just the style and finish you desire so that you will be sure to have same for Christmas delivery.

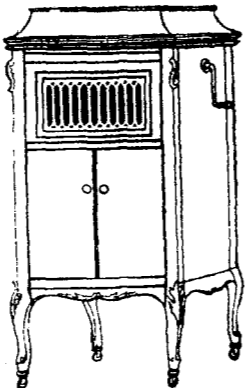
A Small Payment Will Bring a Pathe or Meteor Instrument to Your Home

The Pathe or Meteor plays ALL MAKES of records—and—There are no needles to change when you have a



And every Pathe record is guaranteed to play 1000 times.

Hear some of the new Broadway hits—the song hits of the "Follies of 1919" and the new dance numbers. The Pathe brings these to you FIRST.



If you have a Victor or Columbia We Will Give You FREE—Today Only—An Attachment that will enable you to adjust your sound box to play Pathe records. This, together with a full-tone sapphire ball, which we will sell you for \$1.00, will open to you a wider field of music and enable you to play ALL the big hits as fast as they come out—even before you're able to get them on other makes of records. We also take Liberty Bonds and allow full amount in payment on machines.

Max Landsberg

Biliousness



WHEN you have a bilious attack your liver fails to perform its functions. You become constipated. The food you eat ferments in your stomach instead of digesting. This inflames the stomach and causes nausea, vomiting and a terrible headache. Take Chamberlain's Tablets. They will tone up your liver, clean out your stomach and you will soon be as well as ever. There is nothing better.

Chamberlain's Tablets

Make Your Car Ready for Winter



IF YOU EXPECT your car to do "year round" service it must have "year round" care.

Now, for winter:—

- Curtains and tops should be put in order.
- Tire chains should be added for snowy and slippery weather.
- The crank case should be drained and cleaned and filled with a different oil.
- Batteries should be tested.
- Radiators should be cleaned and filled with an anti-freezing mixture.
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Narrow	6.50 to 5.75	5.50 to 4.75	4.50 to 4.00	3.75 to 3.00	3.00 to 1.50
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STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Circuit Court for the County of Crawford in Chancery.

Fred A. Wright, and Cullen N. Wright, Plaintiffs,

vs.
Samuel L. Roberts, Caroline Roberts, Harry E. Bowman, Effie M. Bowman, and E. H. Doan (whose first name is unknown to plaintiffs), Defendants.

Suit pending in said court this 29th day of November, A. D. 1919. In this cause it appearing by affidavit on file that the defendants, Samuel L. Roberts, and Caroline Roberts, are not residents of the State of Michigan, but reside in the County of Scottabluft, State of Nebraska, and that a summons to appear and answer has been duly issued in this cause and could not be served on the defendants, Harry E. Bowman, Effie M. Bowman, or E. H. Doan, for the reason that said defendants are not residents of this state and it cannot be determined in what state or country these said defendants now reside; and that in case of their appearance that they cause their answer to the bill of complaint to be filed and a copy thereof served on the attorney for the plaintiffs within fifteen days after service upon them or their attorney of a copy of said bill, and in default thereof that said bill be taken as confessed by the said defendants.

And it is further ordered, that the plaintiffs cause this order to be published in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed, published, and circulating in said county, and that such publication be commenced within twenty days from the date of this order, and continued therein once in each week for six weeks in succession, or that the said plaintiffs cause a copy of this order to be personally served on each of above named defendants at least twenty days before the time above prescribed for their appearance.

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GUY E. SMITH, Circuit Judge
Examined, countersigned, and entered by me
FRANK SALES, Clerk
HOMER L. FITCH, Attorney for Plaintiffs,
Business Address: Grayling, Mich. 12-11-8

STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, in Chancery.

Katherine Loskus, Plaintiff,
vs.
Phillip Loskus, Defendant.

Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, in Chancery, on the 29th day of November, A. D. 1919.

In this cause it appearing from affidavits on file that a chancery summons has been duly issued out of and under the seal of said court, for the appearance of said defendant therein, and that the same could not be served on said defendant because that after diligent search and inquiry it could not be ascertained in what state or country the defendant resides, or the whereabouts of the defendant learned, and that said chancery summons has been returned by the sheriff of said county with his certificate thereon indorsed that after diligent search and inquiry he was unable to find the said defendant within the State of Michigan on or before the return day of said summons.

On motion of Homer L. Fitch, attorney for said plaintiff, IT IS ORDERED, that said defendant, Phillip Loskus, cause his appearance to be entered in this cause within three months after the date of this order and in case of his appearance that he cause his answer to the plaintiff's bill of complaint to be filed, and a copy thereof served upon the plaintiff's attorney, within twenty days after service upon him of a copy of said bill and notice of this order, and in default thereof said bill be taken as confessed by said defendant. And on like motion, IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that within twenty days after the date hereof, the plaintiff cause a notice of this order to be published in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed, published and circulating in said County of Crawford, and that such publication be continued at least once in each week, for six weeks in succession, or that he cause a copy of this order to be personally served upon said defendant, at least twenty days before the time above prescribed for his appearance.

GUY E. SMITH, Circuit Judge
HOMER L. FITCH, Attorney for Plaintiff,
Address: Grayling, Mich. 12-4-6

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MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE.

Whereas, default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Charles Pratt and Amelia H. Pratt, his wife, of the Township of Monguagon, Wayne County, Michigan, mortgagors to William Millikin and Helen Millikin his wife, both of the Township of Beaver Creek, Crawford County, Michigan, mortgagees, dated the thirtieth day of March A. D. one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Crawford, Michigan, on the twenty-seventh day of May, A. D. one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, in Liber "H" of mortgages on page three hundred two (202); and which mortgage was duly assigned by the said William Millikin and Helen Millikin, his wife, to John R. Gray and George A. Young, both of the City of Detroit, Wayne County, Michigan, on the seventh day of May A. D. one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, and which said assignment of Mortgage was recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Crawford, Michigan, on the fifth day of September, A. D. one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, in Liber "F" of Mortgages on page five hundred twenty (520); and which mortgage was afterwards duly assigned by the said John R. Gray and George A. Young to John E. Mills, of the City of Detroit, Wayne County, Michigan, on the eighth day of June A. D. one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, and which Assignment of Mortgage was recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Crawford, Michigan, on the Fifth day of September A. D. one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, in Liber "F" of mortgages on page five hundred twenty-one (521), on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of Eight Hundred Seventy-seven and 60/100 (\$877.60) Dollars, principal and interest, more than thirty (30) days default having been made in the payment of the principal sum of said mortgage, which became due and payable on the thirtieth day of March A. D. one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, that no suit or proceedings at law or in equity have been instituted to recover the money secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, Now, Therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and of the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Thursday the twenty-sixth day of February, A. D. one thousand nine hundred and twenty, at twelve (12) o'clock noon, Eastern Standard Time, the undersigned will, at the front door of the Court House, in Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, (that being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford Michigan, is held) sell, at public auction, to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid upon said mortgage, with six (6) per cent interest and all legal costs and charges, provided in said mortgage and allowed by Law, and collect and Attorney fee of Fifteen (\$15.00) Dollars, the premises situated in the Township of Beaver Creek, County of Crawford and State of Michigan and described as follows, to-wit:—The west one-half (1/2) of the South-west Quarter of Section twenty four (24), Township twenty-five (25), Range four (4) West, being eighty (80) more or less, according to the County Survey. Dated November 1st, 1919.

JOHN E. MILLS, Assignee of Mortgagee.
Charles W. Kurth, Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage.
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LOCAL NEWS

Miss Verna Biggs has accepted a position at Sorenson Bros.

She would appreciate a string of pearl beads from Hathaway's.

Thorwald P. Peterson was in Detroit on business the first part of the week.

John Balcer spent Sunday and Monday of this week in Detroit on a business mission.

Mrs. Clara McLeod is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Leo White and family in Adrian for a few weeks.

W. E. Russell, general agent of the Michigan Central at Bay City came up Tuesday on business.

Most of the stores are putting on their holiday attire for the season of Christmas and New Years.

Bert Scholtz of Saginaw was a guest at the Peter L. Brown home over Sunday.

The Odd Fellow lodge that has adopted a child in France sent it \$5.00 for a Christmas present last week.

H. W. VanPatter of Detroit was in town Wednesday on official business for the Michigan Central Railroad.

Harold Millard was here from Whittemore last Sunday. He returned to that place Sunday night accompanied by his wife.

The Messrs W. E. Bird and R. MacKinnon of Gaylord were in town last Friday to attend a meeting of Railway clerks.

Mrs. LeRoy Frosch entertained fifteen ladies at her home Tuesday and those present spent a very pleasant afternoon.

Mrs. Arnold Lauridsen and children are visiting relatives in Manistee, leaving the latter part of the week for that place.

Mrs. John T. Vaughn, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Sivrals left Saturday for her home in Bay City.

A Christmas pair of glasses for father or mother. Why not? Just leave a deposit and order with Hathaway and he will do the rest.

A. C. Halter of Detroit is the new barber at the tansorial parlors of Carl Sorenson in the Burton Hotel building. He commenced his duties Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Brennan and son Billy expect to leave Saturday for Saginaw to be gone a few days. They also expect to spend a short time in Reese, Michigan, visiting relatives of Mr. Brennan.

We were too late to get our Christmas advertisement published this week, but we want to say that this store has some fine things for the men and boys, and a lot of articles that will hit the ladies as well. Leave your order today for that Columbia Grafonola that you have been intending to buy for your wife for Christmas. We will deliver it wherever you say. Olaf Sorenson & Sons.

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All persons are hereby warned and commanded to promptly call a physician or report to Health Officer any and all cases of

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Diphtheria or Membranous Croup
Dysentery
Sore Throat or Cold in Head
Erysipelas
Impetigo Contagiosa
Influenza
Measles
German Measles
Tuberculosis
Typhoid Fever
Pneumonia
Infantile Paralysis
Scarlet Fever
Scarlet Rash
Scarlatina
Smallpox
Spinal Meningitis
Trachoma
Whooping Cough

Neglect of these orders will be followed by arrests, no matter whom it may be.

By Order of the State Board of Health
Peter E. Johnson, Local Health Officer

Everett Buchanan left this week to visit relatives in Bay City a few days and will then leave for Los Angeles, Calif., to spend the winter. He will stop over at Tulsa, Okla., where he will visit a brother whom he has not seen for some time.

Sergt. Earl Wood, who has been spending a 4 weeks' furlough here the guest of his mother Mrs. Brad Hawthorne of du Pont avenue returned Wednesday of last week to Camp Dix, New Jersey. The young man is a member of the Signal Corps of the Regular Army and spent two years overseas in active service.

Health Officer Peter E. Johnson reports that in the district north of us there is a great deal of smallpox and diphtheria and that every effort is being made to keep it from spreading to this county. Among the precautions being taken are orders that every case of sore throat, cold in the head, mumps, whooping cough, measles, and other contagious diseases MUST BE REPORTED TO THE HEALTH OFFICER, unless a doctor has been called and then it is for the Doctor to report the case. The State laws require that such cases be reported and Mr. Johnson says that arrests will follow any neglect in reporting same. He says that this law is for all and ALL must observe it.

Say, Mr. Tax Payer, if you went to Detroit and met Mr. Jack-knife Handsaw, the carpenter who gets \$1 per hour, and then you met a man with a job like pounding sand in a rat hole who was getting \$12.00 a day for it and says "taint nuff," and then you met Adolph Neversweat, watchman in a boiler room, who has only to punch a time clock every hour and was "only getting \$150.00 per month" and then you should go to the school house and find a teacher who is in charge of thirty children training their minds to reason and think and inspiring in them culture, courtesy and those things that help to build better men and women, and you find that that teacher only gets \$75.00 a month. Wouldn't that jar you? There is something wrong

Diamonds are way up, but Hathaway bought early so can save you money.

Mrs. Rasmus Rasmussen and her daughter Mrs. Newell Underhill left last night for Detroit to visit relatives. Mr. Rasmussen expects to join them today to also visit there. Mrs. Underhill will remain until after Christmas, while the others will return earlier.



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